

1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
2 DISTRICT OF NEVADA

3 COURTNEY MOTLEY,

4 Plaintiff

Case No. 3:20-cv-00121-MMD-WGC

ORDER

5 v.

6 STATE OF NEVADA, *et al.*,

7 Defendants
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9 **I. DISCUSSION**

10 Plaintiff, who is an inmate in the custody of the Nevada Department of Corrections
11 ("NDOC"), submitted a civil rights complaint pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983 and filed an
12 application to proceed *in forma pauperis*. (ECF Nos. 1-1, 1).

13 Plaintiff's application to proceed *in forma pauperis* is incomplete. Pursuant to 28
14 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(2) and Local Rule LSR 1-2, Plaintiff must complete an application to
15 proceed *in forma pauperis* on this Court's approved form and attach both an inmate
16 account statement for the past six months and a properly executed financial certificate on
17 this Court's approved form. Plaintiff has not submitted an application on this Court's
18 approved form or a properly executed financial certificate and inmate account statement
19 for the past six months. (See ECF No. 1). As such, the *in forma pauperis* application is
20 denied without prejudice. The Court will retain Plaintiff's civil rights complaint (ECF No.
21 1-1), but will not file it until the matter of the payment of the filing fee is resolved. Plaintiff
22 will be granted an opportunity to cure the deficiencies of his application to proceed *in*
23 *forma pauperis*, or in the alternative, pay the full \$400 filing fee for this action. If Plaintiff
24 chooses to file a new application to proceed *in forma pauperis*, he must file a fully
25 complete application to proceed *in forma pauperis* on this Court's approved form, and
26 attach an inmate account statement for the past six months and a properly executed
27 financial certificate.

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